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NEWS COSTS: YOU CAN'T EVEN GET A REPORT FROM A GUN FREE OF CHARGE.

Make all Checks, Money Orders, Etc., payable to the order of CHAMP & MILLER.

THE L. & N. pay car was here yesterday.

The Paris Fire Department was called out by thirty-three alarms of fire during the past year.

M. B. LOVELL, the dairyman, has rented Mrs. Hannah Taylor's farm, near East Paris.

W. B. CONWAY, late of this city, who died last week in Mt. Sterling, had his life insured for \$2,000.

CONSTABLE JOE WILLIAMS, who has been ill with pneumonia, is convalescent, and will be out again in a few days.

EX-SHERIFF JAMES McCURE is being prominently mentioned as a probable Democratic candidate for County Judge.

GEORGE ERION, of this city, has been awarded the contract to build a residence for Mrs. Julia Anderson, in Carlisle.

ISAAC PRICE, of Cincinnati, will shortly return to this city, to open a clothing store in the storeroom now occupied by H. S. Stout & Co.

THE L. & N. express from Knoxville, due here at 4:45 a. m., was seven hours late Wednesday, on account of a wreck on the Knoxville division.

SITUATION WANTED.—Housework, in a private family, by an experienced girl. Call at 339 High street, Paris, Ky.

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MISS MARGARET INGELS, of this city, has accepted an invitation to dedicate the pretty new opera house at Somerset, Ky., in February, with one of her artist. costume recitals.

THE Lexington Y. M. C. A. bicyclers are getting up a triangular tour for May 31. The wheelmen will ride from Lexington to Paris, thence to Winchester and back to Lexington.

ATTENTION is directed to the announcement on fourth page of the candidacy of Mr. Brutus J. Clay, Jr., (with Mr. G. W. Judy as deputy,) as a candidate for Sheriff of Bourbon County.

SEE the advertisement in another column of Master's sale of house, lot, etc., in Millersburg, Ky.—sale to take place on the premises. Sale will occur January 23. Read the ad.

REMEMBER the sheriff's sale on Saturday, Jan. 16th, 1897, at eleven o'clock a. m., of the carts, standard-bred horses, etc., of James O. Gray, etc., to be sold at the court-house door, in this city.

If the reader will look over the announcement column on fourth page a number of new names will be noted, but the candidates have not all announced yet. Watch the list.

ATTENTION is directed to the announcement on fourth page of Clifton Arnsperger's candidacy for re-election as County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

A. L. FERGUSON, of Scott county, son of the late J. W. Ferguson, of this county, is being urged to become a Democratic candidate to represent Scott county in the next Legislature.

READ the ad on first page of public sale by the Master of land belonging to the I. S. Crouch assigned estate—sale to be made February 1st. Read the advertisement for further particulars.

At the Methodist Church Sunday night the following six persons joined by letter: Mrs. Jennie Ellis, Misses Dula and Lillian May Rice, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Rummans and daughter.

ATTENTION is directed to the announcement on fourth page of the candidacy of Mr. Wm. E. Williams for Superintendent of Public Schools of Bourbon County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

A MAYSVILLE hen was the heroine of a most remarkable experience Wednesday. She roosted on the front truck of Conductor Kirby's train, Tuesday night, and stole a ride to Lexington the next morning—a distance of sixty-eight miles.

ED WARE, of this city, and Dr. Jas. Ware, of Cynthiana, have bought Smith & Turney's stable in Cynthiana, and have taken possession of the business. They are both popular young men and their Paris friends wish them much success.

We are giving the people the kind of shoes they want at the prices they want to pay. Our cash system does this.

RION & CLAY.

Paris Prospects For A Federal Building.

A SPECIAL dispatch from Washington, D. C., Tuesday, was as follows:

"The Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds has reported favorably the bill providing for the erection of public buildings at Paris and Lebanon, Ky., to cost \$50,000 each. In submitting the report for Paris, the committee says:

"Paris is one of the most prosperous towns in the Blue Grass region of Kentucky. By the census of 1890 its population was 4,218. Since that time its growth has been steady and its percentage of increase large. Its population at this time is estimated at 7,000. It is the county seat of Bourbon county. Bourbon county, as appears by the reports of the Internal Revenue, paid into the Treasury during the last fiscal year in direct taxes, exclusive of licenses for retail and wholesale liquor dealers, \$240,197.52, which, owing to depressed business, was perhaps less than that paid in any of the past twenty-five years. The receipts of the post-office for the past year were \$3,563.91. Three persons were employed in the office, and the rent allowed was \$360."

"The committee recommends the passage of the bill, after being amended so as to strike out the words, 'which sum is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.' The same amendment is made in the bill for the public building at Lebanon."

K. of P. Officers Elected.

THE Second Regiment, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, met Tuesday at Castle Hall, in this city, and organized a Battalion, composed of the Divisions from Maysville, Paris, Cynthiana, Carlisle and Moorefield.

Gen. G. E. Curry, of Dayton, presided, and Col. A. J. Lovely, Capt. B. G. Perry, First-Lieut. W. M. Goodloe, Second-Lieut. A. J. Winters, and Sir Knights E. D. Paton, C. E. Nippert, A. C. Adair, L. Woolstien and G. D. Mitchell, of this city, Maj. J. W. Lee, Maysville, Maj. C. C. Cole, Col. W. L. Howe, Moorefield, Capt. R. H. Conway, Adjutant D. B. Veach and Lieut. Kimbrough, of Cynthiana, were present.

The First Battalion was organized and C. C. Cole, of Moorefield, was elected Major. R. H. Conway, of Cynthiana, was elected Lieutenant-Colonel of the Second Regiment.

The Sir Knights were all in full uniform and made a splendid appearance.

Last Session Of Teachers' Association.

THE last Teachers' County Association of the season was held at the High School Building, in this city, last Saturday. It was ably presided over by Prof. E. W. Weaver.

"The experience of this scholastic year in the schoolroom," was the topic. A difficulty experienced by all the teachers was in the teaching of Mental Arithmetic as a separate study.

As an incentive, a medal has been offered to the boy or girl who will stand the best examination on Wentworth's Mental Arithmetic, (as far as per centage) at the Teachers Institute, the coming Summer. But one representative from each school will be admitted to the competition.

The Turnpike Injunction Case.

JUDGE CANTRILL held a special session of the Circuit Court, last night, at Frankfort, to hear the Bourbon County free turnpike injunction case.

The turnpikes were represented by Judge J. Q. Ward, Judge Wadsworth, McMillan & Talbot and Mann & Ashbrook. The County was represented by County Attorney Clifton Arnsperger, E. M. Dickson, Judge W. H. Holt and Judge H. C. Howard.

At the hour of going to press, last night, THE NEWS had not heard of any decision in the case. It is probable Judge Cantrill will render his decision this morning. It is the general impression that the case will be appealed no matter which way it is decided.

The New Methodist Church.

THE NEWS is officially informed that the contract for building the new Methodist church has been awarded to Fletcher Brothers & Co., Cincinnati.

The specifications call for a handsome stone building, that will be a credit to the congregation and an ornament to the city. Work will be commenced on the building as soon as the foundation is completed which will be in the near future if the weather permits.

The contractors are having a picture made of the church as it will appear when completed, and will shortly display the picture in some prominently located show window in Paris.

Two Farmers' Tough Luck.

A CERTAIN Bourbon county farmer netted but \$17 on a fourteen acre tobacco crop which he sold last week in Louisville. Another Bourbon farmer netted only \$11 on a fourteen acre crop sold in Cincinnati. It is but fair to add, however, that a great many farmers have made money cultivating the weed, and the low prices realized in the two instances mentioned were largely due to bad luck in the times selected for marketing, etc.

The Leer Land Withdrawn.

NEARLY seven hundred acres of land belonging to Mrs. J. Monroe Leer were offered at public sale yesterday morning, at New Forest, and withdrawn, as there were no bidders.

Thirty-four sheep were sold to Bishop Hibler at 3¢ to 3½¢; three jacks, to McIntyre & McClintock, at \$40 and \$50; two jennets and two horses brought low prices.

PERSONAL MENTION.

COMERS AND GOERS OBSERVED BY THE NEWS MAN.

Notes Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And Elsewhere.

—Miss Maud Peebles is slightly improved.

—Ira G. Taylor, of Cincinnati, was in the city yesterday.

—Mrs. Douglas Thomas is visiting relatives in Covington.

—Mrs. W. H. H. Johnson, of Mt. Sterling, is in the city.

—Col. E. F. Clay was in Lexington Wednesday on a business trip.

—Mrs. J. R. Clark is ill at the home of Mr. Newt. Clark, on Vine street.

—Mr. G. G. White arrived Tuesday evening from a pleasure trip to New York.

—Mrs. P. G. Powell, Sr., of Woodford, is the guest of Mrs. Newton Mitchell.

—Mr. H. H. Daily, of Jackson, is the guest of his brother, Dr. M. H. Daily, this week.

—Miss Lillie Jonett, of Cynthiana, was the guest of Mrs. Cornay Watson Tuesday night and Wednesday.

—Mrs. Oscar Taylor, of Covington, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. B. Alexander, Tuesday and Wednesday.

—Miss Bessie Armstrong arrived home yesterday from a visit to the family of her brother, Mr. J. D. Armstrong, in Lexington.

—R. L. Slade, of Berry, editor of the *Bluegrass Pythian*, was in the city last night in the interest of his paper, and met with the Rathbone lodge.

Our cash system enables us to give you just the kind of shoes you all like—the highest grades at prices to please you.

RION & CLAY.

SCINTILLATIONS.

An Interesting Jumble Of News And Comment.

The Georgetown Telephone Exchange has fifty-two subscribers.

The Germantown Fair Company has assigned. Assets, \$400. Liabilities, \$1,000.

Thompson Goodfrer, was assassinated Wednesday night in his grocery at Lexington by two unknown men.

Meadowthorpe, the home of Col. James E. Pepper, who recently made an assignment, was Tuesday sold by Master Commissioner Morton, and purchased by Mrs. Pepper for \$38,000.

A petition is being circulated at Versailles, asking Gov. Bradley to pardon Dr. Walker Davis, who has served twelve years of a life sentence for the alleged poisoning of his father-in-law.

Maj. Jacob Crosthwait, an ardent silver man, who died at Connersville, Ky., Tuesday, left a provision in his will that the base of his monument should be covered with silver and inscribed: "Free Silver at the Ratio of 16 to 1."

Charles Taylor, colored, who was arrested at Frankfort on the charge of murdering Nellie Shipp, has confessed that he robbed, outraged and murdered her. The negroes at Frankfort threaten to lynch Taylor, and precautions were taken Tuesday night to prevent such work. See two Frankfort dispatches printed on second page.

The "Prowler" of the Winchester Democrat says: "After May 1 local opinion will prevail here, and Winchester will be as dry as the proverbial dust pile. Nothing less than the bite of a poisonous serpent will procure the much-coveted drink. In the view of this fact, a thrifty suburban resident is making arrangements to lay in a supply of snakes, which he will allow to bite the thirsty seeker after spirituous refreshment for a moderate compensation."

RILEY GRANNON been denied the application for an injunction to restrain the Westchester Racing Association and the New York Jockey Club from barring him from their race courses. The associations allege that Grannon violated one of their rules by making a present of \$500 to jockeys Taral and Griffin. Grannon was represented by Gen. B. F. Tracey.

Advertised Letter List.

LIST of letters remaining unclaimed in Paris, Ky., postoffice, Jan. 15, 1897: Brown, Mrs. Violet Mimms, Mr. Butler, J. L. Patrick, Robt. (2); Craig, Mrs. Vina Parker, Mrs. Mariah Clement, Mrs. Nancy Parker, Miss Allie Childrey, James Penn, Mrs. Annie Current, Jas. Burr Rankins, Mrs. Bettie Davis, Miss Manie Riley, Mrs. Blanche Grant, Mrs. Bell (col.) Rhinehart, Jas. Green, Rhody Robinson, Stephen Griffin, John Stannard, Miss Stella Hawkins, Mrs. Nanie Stout, Mrs. Squire Howard, Mrs. Mollie Smoot, E. T. Buckins, Geo. W. Taylor, John T. Johnson, Mrs. J. A. Thompson, Mollie Johnson, Mollie (2) Thomas, Margaret P. Kenney, Jerry Williams, Mrs. Nanie Mills, Miss Maggie Williams, Mrs. Elvira Woodward, Mrs. Amanda

Persons calling for above letters will please say "advertised."

W. L. DAVIS, P. M.

ALL of the notes and accounts due Current & Clarke have been placed in my hands for immediate collection. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm will save costs by prompt payment.

HARMON STITT, Attorney.

NUPTIAL KNOTS.

Engagements, Announcements And Solemnizations Of The Marriage Vows.

Henry Taylor Ecton and Miss Florence Combs will wed at Bethlehem Church, next Wednesday.

Roy Love and Miss Meta Love were married Tuesday at Birmingham, Ky. Of course it was a love match.

A. N. Hart, of Dayton, O., has sued Mrs. Isabel E. Konold, of Pittsburgh, for \$25,000, for breach of promise.

The marriage of Judge H. C. Howard and Miss Maggie Clay is announced to occur at the latter's home, on January 20th. The marriage will be a very quiet event with only the immediate relatives present.

Miss Rosie Salinger, the pretty daughter of Mr. Joe Salinger, late of this city, but now of Georgetown, will wed Mr. Mose Swartz, at the Hotel Almas, in Cincinnati, on Wednesday afternoon, January 20th, at two o'clock.

A special from Cynthiana to the Louisville Post, yesterday, said: "Miss Eunice Henry, one of the handsomest young ladies of this county, left this morning on the 6 o'clock northbound train for the Queen City, where she will wed Charlie Adair, of Bourbon county. Both parties are connected with the best families of this community. The to-be bride was accompanied by her mother. It has been kept a profound secret, and will be a great surprise to the couple's many friends."

Mr. Edwin Clark, of Lexington, and Miss Nancy Beckner, daughter of Judge W. M. Beckner, were united in a splendid wedding last night in the beautifully decorated First Presbyterian Church at Winchester. The bride was gowned in white satin and cream lace. Miss Phoebe Beckner, was maid of honor, and Mr. Otis Clarke was best man. The twelve bridesmaids were: Misses Mary Belle Halley, of Scott, Jane Graves, of Fayette, Miss Hanna, of Shelbyville, Grace Pearson, Mamie Clark and Carrie Woodard, of Lexington, Margaret and Mary Phil Parrish, of Midway, Addie Garner, Effie Burnett and Mayme Tucker, of Winchester. All were gowned in Paris muslin over white satin, high neck, with moire collar and belts. They carried white roses, with green streamers.

Lieutenant George Henry McManus, of the Third Artillery, United States Army, now stationed at Fortress Monroe, was wedded to Miss Emille Gertrude Kessler at Pensacola, Fla., at a brilliant military wedding on Jan. 5th. The bride, a member of a leading family, was lovely in a heavy white brocade taffeta, trimmed with point lace and chiffon, and wore a veil. She carried a large bouquet and wore a diamond sunburst. The white taffeta dresses of the maid of honor and bridesmaids were trimmed with gold braid to correspond with the gold on the uniforms of the army and navy officers, who were attendants. Two hundred persons attended a reception at the bride's home after the wedding. The bride is known to many persons in this city and Millersburg, where she visited in September with Miss Mary Champ, of Nashville. Lieutenant and Mrs. McManus will reside at Old Point Comfort.

BIRTHS.

The Advent Of Our Future Men And Women.

In this city Tuesday to the wife of J. J. Connell, (nee Carr) late of Lexington, a daughter.

OBITUARY.

Respectfully Dedicated To The Memory Of The Dead.

The infant child of W. B. Pinkard died Tuesday night. The babe was born last Friday.

Mrs. Charlotte Corday Leer, widow of David Leer, died yesterday afternoon at five o'clock, of pneumonia, in the eighty-seventh year of her age. Two children survive the deceased—Charles Carroll Leer, of near this city, and Mrs. J. L. B. Alberti, of Fayette. The funeral will take place to-morrow at two o'clock p. m., from the deceased's late residence near this city. Services at the grave by Rev. Dr. E. H. Rutherford. The following will act as pallbearers: Ambrose Haley, Courtland Leer, Vernon Leer, David M. Dodge, Chas. E. Butler, Millard Kenney, B. F. Buckley, Wm. Kenney, Charles Alberti and Joseph Kenney.

Mrs. Mollie Roland Bashford, widow of the late Allen Bashford, died at her home on Scott Avenue in this city, at eight o'clock last night. The deceased had long been an invalid and was a patient sufferer and bore her illness with Christian fortitude. Four children survive—Mrs. Henry Power, Misses Mary and Louise Bashford, of this city, and Mr. Ernest Bashford, of St. Louis, all of whom were at the bedside of their mother in her last hours. Mrs. Bashford was a sister of Mrs. James R. Clark, Mrs. Ad. Thompson and Mr. James E. Roland, all of this county. The funeral arrangements had not been completed last night, but the burial will take place Saturday.

For a Winter Shoe,

What is better than a pair of our heavy sole Tan "Willow Calf" shoes? Black Calf, or Enamel, either, if you want them.

RION & CLAY.

Read These Bargain Prices:

Men's finest Patent Leather shoes, \$4.75, worth \$6.00.
Men's finest Calf shoes, \$4.50, worth \$5.50.
Men's finest Tan shoes, \$4.50, worth \$5.50.
[The above are the celebrated Stacy-Adams make.]

Boys' Calf Shoes, \$1.00 to \$2.00, worth \$1.50 to \$2.50.
Child's fine Kid Spring Heels, size 5 to 7½, 85c, worth \$1.25.
Child's fine Kid Spring Heels, size 8 to 10½, \$1.00, worth \$1.50.
Misses fine Kid Spring Heels, size 11 to 2, \$1.25, worth \$1.75.

These are only a few of the many Cash bargains we have to offer. Call early and get choice.

DAVIS, THOMSON & ISGRIG.

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(THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY,)

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Choice of our finest Dress patterns, formerly \$8.00, for this sale at \$4.00.

All our Underwear, Blankets and Comforts will be closed out at 25c on the dollar.

New and full line of Table Linens, Towels and Napkins—marked down 50 per cent. for this sale.

G. D. Corsets—our specialty—50c, 75c and \$1.00—worth double.

Ladies' and Children's full Seamless Hosiery, 10 and 15c—always sold at 25c.

Our Domestic are the very best brands—in Calicoes, Cottons and Sheetings.

Calicoes—3½ and 5c.
Bleached Cotton, good, 5c.
Best Cotton made, 8c.
10-4 Peperell Sheetting, 18c.

Notions of all kinds, one-half price.

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I want 1,000 barrels of corn, at market price. Apply to

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I HAVE a well-situated 60-acre Bourbon County farm which I desire to sell. It is well-improved. For any further particulars, address,

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE party who borrowed the books of the Paris & Jacktown Turnpike Co. from my office about a year ago, is requested to return the same at once. (1dec-tf) T. H. TARK.

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